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Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of patent application Serial No. 09/938,978, filed on August 24, 2001, and entitled BYPASSABLE ADDER, in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred.

- A preliminary amendment is attached. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
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53	48	5	x \$25.00	\$125.00
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